RESOLUTION NO. 23-42

A RESOLUTION AMENDING THE 2023 GENERAL REVENUE BUDGET AND THE 2023 AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT / SPECIAL GRANT REVENUES FUND BUDGET FOR THE PURPOSE OF CLAIMING POLICE SALARIES AND EMPLOYER PAYROLL CONTRIBUTIONS

WHEREAS, the American Rescue Plan Act "ARPA," which was signed into law in March 11, 2021, provides fiscal relief funds to local governments; and

WHEREAS, ARPA provides support to local governments in responding to the impact of COVID-19 and in addressing the economy. It created several eligible uses of the funding including one to address lost revenue for cities and towns; and

WHEREAS, the United States Department of Treasury on January 6, 2022, issued a Final Rule regarding the use of ARPA funds; and

WHEREAS, the Final Rule permits cities and towns to utilize one of the statutorily eligible uses of the funds as "lost revenue or revenue replacement" up to a standard allowance of \$10,000,000 or the total amount of a city's grant award, whichever is less. For the City of Monticello, the actual grant award is less; and

WHEREAS, the Final Rule permits cities and towns to utilize "lost revenue/revenue replacement" for <u>any</u> government services and it expressly included "the provision of police, fire, and other public safety services" in a listing of non-exclusive enumerated uses for revenue loss.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Monticello City Council, that:

Section 1. The City hereby appropriates from the City's portion of the American Rescue Plan Act funding an approximate amount of \$1,580,250.00 for police and fire salaries and the city's employer payroll contribution expenses for the date beginning on January 1, 2023 until the funding is exhausted.

Section 2. That the City of Monticello General Revenue Budget and the American Rescue Plan Act / Special Grant Revenues Fund Budget for 2023 be amended as follows:

a. 2023 General Fund Revenue Budget - Add revenue line item #4117 - ARPA PD & FD Personnel Reimb \$1,580,250.00

 b. 2023 American Rescue Plan Act / Special Grant Revenues Fund Budget - All expenses line item #5117 - ARPA PD & FD Personnel Expense \$1,580,250.000

Section 3. On the mandatory Annual Reports, these police expenses shall be reported under the Expenditure Category (EC) number 6.1 entitled Revenue Replacement.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 21 day of June, 2023.

Mayor - City of Monticello

ATTEST:

Clerk - City of Monticello